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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: New U.S. Patent Application  
Title: DEVICE FOR DISPENSING PRODUCT  
Inventor: **Vincent DE LAFORCADE** - 3, Allée des Bleuets  
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 62 pages, including title page and abstract, and including 10 independent claims and 292 claims total.
2. Drawings - 6 sheets of formal drawings containing Fig. 1, Fig. 2, Figs. 3A-3B, Figs. 3C-3D, Fig. 4, Fig. 5, Figs. 6A-6C, and Fig. 7.
3. Information Data Sheet (2 pgs.).
4. Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) (3 pgs.)/Form PTO 1449/French Search Report (3 pgs.)/Documents (10).
5. Claim for Priority/Certified copy of French Patent Application No. 01 01224, filed January 30, 2001.
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<b>Basic Application Filing Fee</b>						<b>\$ 740.00</b>
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims	Rate	
Total Claims	292	-	20	272	X \$ 18	\$ 4,896.00
Independent Claims	10	-	3	7	X \$ 84	\$ 588.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s)					+ \$ 280	= 0.00
<b>Subtotal</b>						<b>\$ 6,224.00</b>
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<b>TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE</b>						<b>\$ 6,224.00</b>

7. A check for \$ 6,224.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

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\$ 5,484.00 additional claims fee.

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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and (f).  
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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